

### **Abstract**

The present invention provides a gas generating composition for an air bag in which carbon monoxide and nitrogen oxides generated after combustion are suppressed at low levels.

A gas generating composition comprising (a) a polyoxymethylene polymer or a polyoxymethylene copolymer that is fuel selected from paraformaldehyde, polyacetal resin and the like and (b) a nitrogen-free oxidizing agent such as copper oxide.